

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

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In Re Application Of: **Charles W. Anderson et al.**

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Invention: **MINIATURE IMMUNO-OPTICAL RAPID ANALYTE SENSOR PLATFORM**

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12/01/99 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months
from: 03/01/00 until: 06/01/00
Date *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$435** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **01-2218**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **01-2218** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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